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For: THERMAL INSULATION COMPOSITE WITH  
IMPROVED THERMAL STABILITY AND  
IMPROVED FIRE RESISTANCE

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**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Requirements mailed May 18, 2007 (copy enclosed herewith), Applicant respectfully points out that the item requested in the Notice has already been submitted to the USPTO Designated/Elected Office. The Notice itself indicates that the English Translation has not been received and that a fee is required for submitting the translation late.

Applicant encloses herewith the English translation of the application as filed (together with the application) with the USPTO September 21, 2006. Enclosed also is a copy of the application Transmittal Letter indicating that the English translation is enclosed; a copy of the Certificate of Mailing signed and dated September 21, 2006, indicating that the English language translation is being submitted; and a copy of the return postcard stamped by the USPTO on September 21, 2006.

Since the Notice appears to have been erroneously issued, Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 03-2775, under Order No. 09999-09999 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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Respectfully submitted,

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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 09/21/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 09/21/2006
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 09/21/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 09/21/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 09/21/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 09/21/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 09/21/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 09/21/2006

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.
- Processing fee of \$130 for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(i)).

## SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:

- \$130 for English translation surcharge required.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE**

**DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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